

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed via
EFS-Web with the United States Patent and Trademark Office
on September 17, 2008

PATENT
Docket No.: D-4108

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By: 
Lisa McDill

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

J. Christopher Marmo

Application No.: 10/661,400

Filed: September 12, 2003

For: INSERTING LENSES INTO
CORNEAL EPITHELIAL POCKETS TO
IMPROVE VISION

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No.: 6665

Examiner: Paul B. Prebilic

Art Unit: 3774

**CHANGE IN ENTITY STATUS
FROM LARGE TO SMALL
UNDER 37 CFR §1.27(c)(1)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-identified application has been filed and prosecuted with a Large Entity status. This application has now been Assigned to a Small Entity corporation. Concurrently filed herewith is a new General Power of Attorney and §3.73(b) Statement inclusive of the proper Assignment documents to note this recent change.

Applicants believe that Small Entity status may now be claimed, since this application has been acquired by an entity entitled to the same.

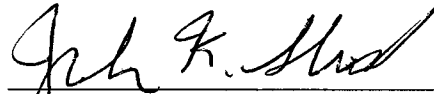
If the Office determines otherwise, to avoid the lapse of this application, please charge any deficiency payment to the undersigned's Deposit Account 20-1430.

Steve Boyd
Application No.:
Page 2

PATENT

If a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application or the processing of this change, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

Respectfully submitted,



John K. Shimmick
Reg. No. 44,335

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP
Two Embarcadero Center, Eighth Floor
San Francisco, California 94111-3834
Tel: (415) 576-0200
Fax: (415) 576-0300
JKS:llm

61507064 v1